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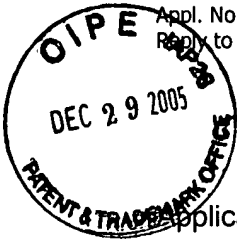
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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE**

This communication is in response to the Examiner's non-final Office Action dated September 29, 2005, in which claims 1-9 were rejected. Applicants respectfully request entry of this Amendment and reconsideration of the now claimed invention.